SECTION 00100 ADVERTISEMENT TO BID

Fraser Public Schools requests bids for the construction of the Technology – Salk, Emerson, Eisenhower & Twain Elementaries Low Voltage Cabling and Video Head-end Equipment work. Bid proposals will be received by Fraser Public Schools, 33466 Garfield Road, Fraser, MI 48026, by delivery or mail, to the attention of Laurie Videtta by 1:00 p.m. local time on August 22, 2006. Proposals must be sealed with bidder's name on the outside of the envelope and designated as follows:

Sealed Proposal
Fraser Public Schools
Bid Package No. T3
Salk, Emerson, Eisenhower & Twain Elementaries Low Voltage Cabling and Video Head-end Equipment
Bid Category: 17100, 17473
Contractor Name, Address, Phone Number

2. Proposals shall be prepared in accordance with the project manual by the Barton Malow Company and contract and construction documents prepared Barton Malow Company, dated August 7, 2006, for:

BID PACKAGE NO. T3

17100 Data and Voice Cabling & Equipment 17473 Video Equipment

- 3. Accepted bidders will be required, as a condition precedent to award of contract, to furnish in the amount of 100% of the contract price, satisfactory Performance Bond and Payment Bond and Certificates of Insurance as required in the Project Manual. This project is subject to state sales tax and/or use tax.
- 4. Barton Malow Company has been contracted by the Owner to organize and direct the complete construction of the project, and, as such, will act as a representative of the Owner in those matters so designated.
- 5. Bid proposals will be publicly opened by Owner/Barton Malow Company, evaluated by the project Team with recommended awards subsequently made by Barton Malow Company.
- 6. Bid documents will be available for examination and distribution on or after August 7, 2006. Examination may be made at the Barton Malow Company Site Office and Builders Exchanges/Plan Rooms.

The field office of the Construction Manager:

Barton Malow Company 33500 Garfield Road Fraser, MI 48026 (586) 879-2175 (586) 879-2342 (fax)

- 7. A pre-bid conference will be held for all trades at the Fraser Public Schools Administration Building, 33466 Garfield Road, Fraser, MI 48026 on August 15, 2006 at 9:00 a.m. All bidders are responsible for attendance at the pre-bid conference. Pre-bid conference minutes will be distributed to all who are known by the Barton Malow Company to have received contract documents, but the Barton Malow Company, Architect and Owner will not be responsible for providing information to those not attending the pre-bid conference. Information disclosed in the prebid conference minutes will be considered part of the bidding and contract documents.
- 8. Bid proposals shall be on forms furnished by the Barton Malow Company in Section 00400. Bidders will be required to submit with their bids a Bid Security by a qualified surety authorized to do business in the State of Michigan, an OSHA Form 200 (or 200-S) for the most recent past year, provide their worker's compensation

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Experience Modification Rate (EMR) factor and any other information required in the Instructions to Bidders. Bidders shall agree not to withdraw bid proposals for a period of sixty (60) calendar days after date for receipt of bids.

- 9. The successful bidder will be required to enter into a contract with Fraser Public Schools on the Agreement Form identified in Section 00500 of the Project Manual.
- 10. The right to reject any or all bid proposals, either in whole or in part, or to waive any informalities or irregularities therein is reserved by the Owner.
- 11. All bids shall be accompanied by a sworn statement disclosing any familial relationship that exists between the owner(s) or any employee of the bidder and any member of the Board of Education of the School District or the Superintendent of the School District. The Board of Education shall not accept a bid that does not include a sworn and notarized familial relationship disclosure statement.

Fraser Public Schools

Laurie Videtta

END OF SECTION 00100